

HOUSE BILL No. 1294

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 14-8-2-107; IC 14-22.

Synopsis: Hoosier stop hunger fund. Establishes the Hoosier stop hunger fund. Allows a person to make a \$1 donation to the fund when purchasing a hunting, fishing, or trapping license. Requires the department of natural resources to use the money in the fund for: (1) assisting nonprofit organizations with the cost of processing donated deer; and (2) promotion to encourage hunters to donate deer for needy individuals.

Effective: July 1, 2007.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2006 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 14-8-2-107, AS AMENDED BY P.L.1-2006,
2 SECTION 208, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 107. "Fund" has the following
4 meaning:
5 (1) For purposes of IC 14-9-5, the meaning set forth in
6 IC 14-9-5-1.
7 (2) For purposes of IC 14-9-8-21, the meaning set forth in
8 IC 14-9-8-21.
9 (3) For purposes of IC 14-9-8-21.5, the meaning set forth in
10 IC 14-9-8-21.5.
11 (4) For purposes of IC 14-9-9, the meaning set forth in
12 IC 14-9-9-3.
13 (5) For purposes of IC 14-12-1, the meaning set forth in
14 IC 14-12-1-1.
15 (6) For purposes of IC 14-12-2, the meaning set forth in
16 IC 14-12-2-2.
17 (7) For purposes of IC 14-12-3, the meaning set forth in

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- 1 IC 14-12-3-2.
- 2 (8) For purposes of IC 14-13-1, the meaning set forth in
- 3 IC 14-13-1-2.
- 4 (9) For purposes of IC 14-13-2, the meaning set forth in
- 5 IC 14-13-2-3.
- 6 (10) For purposes of IC 14-16-1, the meaning set forth in
- 7 IC 14-16-1-30.
- 8 (11) For purposes of IC 14-19-8, the meaning set forth in
- 9 IC 14-19-8-1.
- 10 (12) For purposes of IC 14-20-1, the meaning set forth in
- 11 IC 14-20-1-3.
- 12 (13) For purposes of IC 14-20-11, the meaning set forth in
- 13 IC 14-20-11-2.
- 14 (14) For purposes of IC 14-22-3, the meaning set forth in
- 15 IC 14-22-3-1.
- 16 (15) For purposes of IC 14-22-4, the meaning set forth in
- 17 IC 14-22-4-1.
- 18 (16) For purposes of IC 14-22-5, the meaning set forth in
- 19 IC 14-22-5-1.
- 20 **(17) For purposes of IC 14-22-5.5, the meaning set forth in**
- 21 **IC 14-22-5.5-1.**
- 22 ~~(17)~~ **(18)** For purposes of IC 14-22-8, the meaning set forth in
- 23 IC 14-22-8-1.
- 24 ~~(18)~~ **(19)** For purposes of IC 14-22-34, the meaning set forth in
- 25 IC 14-22-34-2.
- 26 ~~(19)~~ **(20)** For purposes of IC 14-23-3, the meaning set forth in
- 27 IC 14-23-3-1.
- 28 ~~(20)~~ **(21)** For purposes of IC 14-24-4.5, the meaning set forth in
- 29 IC 14-24-4.5-2(5).
- 30 ~~(21)~~ **(22)** For purposes of IC 14-25-2-4, the meaning set forth in
- 31 IC 14-25-2-4.
- 32 ~~(22)~~ **(23)** For purposes of IC 14-25-10, the meaning set forth in
- 33 IC 14-25-10-1.
- 34 ~~(23)~~ **(24)** For purposes of IC 14-25-11-19, the meaning set forth
- 35 in IC 14-25-11-19.
- 36 ~~(24)~~ **(25)** For purposes of IC 14-25.5, the meaning set forth in
- 37 IC 14-25.5-1-3.
- 38 ~~(25)~~ **(26)** For purposes of IC 14-28-5, the meaning set forth in
- 39 IC 14-28-5-2.
- 40 ~~(26)~~ **(27)** For purposes of IC 14-31-2, the meaning set forth in
- 41 IC 14-31-2-5.
- 42 ~~(27)~~ **(28)** For purposes of IC 14-25-12, the meaning set forth in

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IC 14-25-12-1.

~~(28)~~ (29) For purposes of IC 14-32-8, the meaning set forth in IC 14-32-8-1.

~~(29)~~ (30) For purposes of IC 14-33-14, the meaning set forth in IC 14-33-14-3.

~~(30)~~ (31) For purposes of IC 14-33-21, the meaning set forth in IC 14-33-21-1.

~~(31)~~ (32) For purposes of IC 14-34-6-15, the meaning set forth in IC 14-34-6-15.

~~(32)~~ (33) For purposes of IC 14-34-14, the meaning set forth in IC 14-34-14-1.

~~(33)~~ (34) For purposes of IC 14-37-10, the meaning set forth in IC 14-37-10-1.

SECTION 2. IC 14-22-5.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]:

Chapter 5.5. Hoosier Stop Hunger Fund

Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "fund" refers to the Hoosier stop hunger fund established by section 2 of this chapter.

Sec. 2. (a) The Hoosier stop hunger fund is established.

(b) The department shall administer the fund.

Sec. 3. The fund consists of the following:

(1) Money deposited under IC 14-22-12-3.5.

(2) Money appropriated or otherwise designated or dedicated by the general assembly.

(3) Gifts, grants, and bequests.

Sec. 4. The money in the fund shall be used for the following:

(1) To assist nonprofit organizations that are qualified as tax exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code with the cost of processing donated deer to provide food for needy individuals.

(2) To encourage hunters to donate deer to provide food for needy individuals.

(3) To promote activities under subdivision (2).

Sec. 5. (a) The treasurer of state shall invest the money in the fund not currently needed to meet the obligations of the fund in the same manner as the treasurer may invest other public funds.

(b) Money remaining in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not revert to the state general fund.

SECTION 3. IC 14-22-12-3.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: **Sec. 3.5. (a) The department shall**

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1 **allow a person who purchases a license under this chapter to make**
2 **a voluntary one dollar (\$1) donation to the Hoosier stop hunger**
3 **fund as established by IC 14-22-5.5-2.**

4 **(b) The department shall deposit money collected under this**
5 **section in the Hoosier stop hunger fund.**

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